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235 JOIN CLASSES

BIG ATTENDANCE PROMISED FOR HOME ECONOMICS SCHOOL

CROWD HEARD MRS. JAMES

Chairman of District Council of Defense Urges Women to Join Conservation Forces for Victory

"There is no north, south, east or west, no rich, no poor today. We are all fighters in the war for victory. We women are fighters the same as the wearers of the khaki. We fight by saving, conserving, denying ourselves, giving our money and our highest efficiency in saving of food for our men and our country."

This was the message of Mrs. W. K. James of St. Joseph, district chairman of the National Council of Defense, who spoke to the women of Nodaway county yesterday afternoon at the Empire theatre. Mrs. James is one of the most prominent of Missouri women. She has been identified with every movement inaugurated by the women of the state for civic improvement and a leader in club activities. She is a speaker of multiple charms and entertained the big audience of yesterday every moment of the time she was on the speakers' platform.

Mrs. James was introduced by Miss Jessie Parcher, county chairman of the Council of Defense. Mrs. James explained in detail to the Nodaway county women many ways of helping in the great war by the conduct of their households and the vital need for every woman to do this.

Following Mrs. James' talk, Miss Bertha Beal, county chairman of the government training school in home economics, and her assistants took to register of all women for the training course and 235 signed yesterday. A number of others have signed today and the total will exceed 300. Many of the towns of the county sent in delegations and all the rural districts surrounding Maryville were represented.

The class of instruction will open Monday in the basement of the Elks rich. The south entrance leading directly into the basement will be the one used.

Monday afternoon will be for the colored women and seventeen are in this class. Tuesday afternoon, April 16, will be the first lesson for other registrants and the lessons will continue each Wednesday and Thursday afternoon. Should any woman be unable to take her lesson on the day signed for she will be allowed to enter on either of the other days to make up this lesson. The lessons and demonstrations will be after recipes of government food experts and will be under the direction of Miss Ora McMillen, head of the home economics department of the Normal. Miss Anna Balnum, domestic science instructor of the high school, and graduates and advanced pupils from their classes.

NEW DEAL IN AIR PROGRAM

President Wilson Will Direct the Reorganization of America's Aircraft Production

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington April 11.—America's aircraft production is to be completely reorganized under the direction of the president. The first steps expected will be the naming of experts as adviser with the president on the subject and also the consideration of radical changes in army signal corps.

AN INCH OF SNOW IN NEW YORK.

New York, April 11.—New York and the surrounding country is covered with an inch of snow which fell last night.

MISSIONARY MEETING ENDS

Mrs. S. G. Luckhardt Is Chosen President of St. Joseph Presbyterial Society

The St. Joseph Presbyterial Missionary Society closed a successful meeting in Maryville last night. The greater part of the morning and afternoon sessions was devoted to the election of officers, conference and reports. Mrs. Duncan Brown, district president, presided at the afternoon and evening sessions.

The night service was in the nature of a patriotic meeting and was in charge of the young people's societies. Mrs. Joseph Jackson, Jr., and Miss Dessa Gault conducted the devotional services, which was followed by a solo by Emery Airy. Miss Ethel Gaskill, secretary of the young people's work of St. Joseph, gave an interesting illustrated lecture on "The Mission Stations and Their Progress." The closing part of the program was in charge of Mrs. A. A. Elliott of Tarkio.

The officers elected for the coming year were: President, Mrs. G. S. Luckhardt, Tarkio; vice president and secretary of extension, Miss Lucie B. Davis, Maryville, re-elected; secretary and treasurer home and foreign missions, Mrs. A. D. Selig, Savannah; secretary literature and study classes, Mrs. O. G. Bane, Trenton; recording secretary, Mrs. Frank Fulkerson, St. Joseph; secretary of young people's work, unfilled. Miss Ethel Gaskill of St. Joseph, who held this office, has resigned that place.

BAKING BIG LIBERTY CAKE

Substitutes Will Be Used for Most of the Usual Ingredients—Buyers Expected to Sell Slices

The Liberty cake to be donated to the Red Cross auction sale by the training school for housewives which opens next week in the Elks club is to be baked tomorrow ready for the great event. Miss McMillen, of the State Normal, and Miss Anna Balnum of the High School, are superintending the work. F. P. Reuillard is to decorate the cake and is making the icing of honey in order to show how this substitute can be used. He will use his tonicst frilling in dressing up the cake, which ought to a "best seller." Substitutes for wheat flour are to be used in the cake as well as substitutes for butter fat. It has been suggested that the purchaser of the cake cut it and sell it in slices so that many can have a taste and also increase the Red Cross profits.

Miss Katherine Carpenter left this morning to visit her sister, Miss Dora Carpenter, a government food demonstrator, who is in Kansas City assisting in a home economic training school for housewives similar to the one opening in this city next week under the direction of Miss Bertha Beal, county chairman.

Miss Ora McMillen and Miss Anna Balnum, domestic science instructors of the Normal and High School, and Miss Laura Curfman will go to Kansas City the last of the week to visit the classes.

SENATOR STONE IMPROVING.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, April 11. — Senator Stone is reported improving today.

A BIG SHIP WAS SUNK?

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

New York, April 11.—The Atlantic transport line offices announced they heard a report that their thirteen thousand ton liner, Minnetonka, had been sunk. They have been unable to confirm the report.

124 NAMES IN CASUALTY LIST.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, April 11.—The overnight casualties from General Pershing contained 124 names. Only one was killed, thirteen died of diseases, sixty-nine were severely wounded, four are missing and thirty are slightly wounded.

GOLD MEDAL EVENT

ELIMINATION CONTESTS HELD AT HIGH SCHOOL TONIGHT

THERE'LL BE MUSIC, TOO

The Winners Will Represent the M. H. S. In Sub-District Contests In Preparation for Annual Events

The elimination events in the speaking and declamatory contests to determine the winners for the sub-district contests will be held at the high school tonight. There will be four contests, as follows: Extemporaneous speaking for both boys and girls; a song contest and essay contest.

A gold medal will be given to the winner of each and the winner will represent the Maryville High School in the sub-district contests here April 20.

PROGRAM.

Music ..... "When Day Fades"
Girls' Glee Club
Extemporaneous Speech—
Creston Maul
Extemporaneous Speech—
Virgil Borrusch
Music—Patriotic Medley—Mixed Quar.
Cleona Kirch, Inez Moore
Martin Penisten, Verne Moore
Extemporaneous Speech—
Chas. Bellows
Extemporaneous Speech—
Martin Penisten
Music—Trio—
"Just a Wearying for You".....
Lee Maier, Ralph Yehle,
Russell Allen
Extemporaneous Speech—
Ruth Hankins
Extemporaneous Speech—
Annice Neal
Music—Solo.....Sterrill Bishop
Extemporaneous Speech—
Lucile Wiley
Extemporaneous Speech—
Hester De Neen
Music—Girls' Sextette—
"Kentucky Babe".....
Blanche Alexander, Mary M. Condon
Annice Neal, Leska Wray, Russell
Allen, Lee Maier, Ralph Yehle

A DESTRUCTIVE FARM FIRE

Six Horses, Twenty Tons of Hay and Farm Implements Were Burned In Blaze at the D. F. Mitchell Farm

A big barn, cow barn and garage on the farm of D. F. Mitchell, three and a half miles east of Skidmore, were totally destroyed by fire about two o'clock this morning. The farm is managed by Harry Mitchell. When the fire was discovered everything was ablaze. The origin of the fire is unknown.

Six horses were burned in the fire. One horse broke loose and ran out of the burning barn. Twenty tons of hay, 800 bushels of corn and about 300 bushels of oats were destroyed. Farming implements consisting of three cultivators, a corn planter, a wagon, three sets of work harness and other articles were burned up. A new Dodge car was badly burned, all of the upholstering and the top of the car being burned off. Harry Mitchell, in running the car out of the garage was severely burned about the face and hands. The loss is partly covered by insurance.

Sends Patriotic Painting.

Mr. and Mrs. James Conklin are in receipt of an oil painting, an American flag near which a big American eagle is flying, from their son, Herschel Conklin, a bugler with Uncle Sam's forces. Mr. Conklin has had it framed, including a picture of Bugler Conklin shown sounding a call at the raising of the flag at Maryville.

LABOR MUST WAIT ON WAR.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, April 11.—The senate denied legal right to organized labor engaged in war work to strike for higher wages and better working conditions during the war.

Expects Overseas Duty Soon.

Paul Powell, a former Normal student, who enlisted in the aviation corps of the United States army and has been at Fort Sill, Okla., taking his preliminary training, is spending a few days in Maryville with friends. Young Powell expects to leave soon for San Antonio, Texas, for further training, when he will probably be commissioned and sent for overseas duty.

Ed Clark and J. R. Gibbs of Skidmore, Marion Bogg of Ravenwood, Elmer Riley and Reginald Welch of Parnell were among the out-of-town people in Maryville yesterday.

EXAMS NEARLY OVER

LIST OF MEN FOR PHYSICAL TESTS ABOUT EXHAUSTED

TEST FOR 14 YESTERDAY

With Calls for Special Service Filled by Volunteers, Deferred Classes Will Be Drawn On

Fourteen men were given physical examinations yesterday by the draft board. Twelve were accepted and two were rejected as unfit. The following men were examined:

Reginald C. Welch, rejected.
Wm. Warden Linebaugh, rejected.
Jos. Herman Gross, accepted.
Edw. K. Wharton, accepted.
Fred W. Conrad, accepted.
Elmer Edward Dick, accepted.
Alvin Martin Thompson, accepted.
Chas. Cecil Bishop, accepted.
Albert R. Bennett, accepted.
Virgil Scott Lyle, accepted.
Dock Hankins, accepted.
Roy M. Manley, accepted.
Roger W. Miller, accepted.
Floyd Anselm Pope, accepted.

Physical examinations will continue until Saturday when the list of available registrants will have been exhausted, leaving but one or two to be called.

Likewise the available men to fill new quotas is decreasing as many have volunteered in special service classes that have been called to service, and men in deferred classes will be called to fill future quotas that will enter the service.

The board expects to receive another call within a few days for an additional quota which will include men from seventy-five trades. All branches of the service seeks men who are qualified along special lines with the demand greatly exceeding the supply, hence it is necessary to send men to training schools for such courses as they may prove best fitted to take.

MEXICAN TROOPS MASSING?

Washington Is Closely Watching Developments In Mexican Situation Along the Border

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, April 11.—Administration officials are watching very closely the developments along the Mexican border. Massing of Mexican federal troops near Fort Hancock and sniping is reported from dozens of sections in the Big Bend country and the Mexicans are said to be "digging in" eight miles across the border from Fort Hancock.

TAKES OUT FIRST PAPERS

Well Known Elmo Farmer, an Englishman, Would Be An American

James Henry Cole, a well known farmer of the Elmo neighborhood, took out his first naturalization papers today. Mr. Cole is an Englishman and came to America in 1876 from his home at Kirby in Yorkshire. He took out first papers some fifteen years ago but neglected to complete them and now is starting all over again.

AVIATION FIELD AT FUNSTON.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Camp Funston April 11.—It was unofficially announced that Camp Funston is to have an aviation training field.

Mr. and Mrs. Eek Expected.

Sergeant and Mrs. Lauris M. Eek are expected today for a several days visit with Mrs. Eek's father, N. Sisson, and her brother, Paul Sisson. Serg. Eek, who has been stationed at Camp Sherman, near Chillicothe, Ohio, has been transferred to the aviation corps and he will go to a southern camp for training.

Guilford Schools to Close.

The Guilford public school closes this week for the summer vacation. There are no graduates this year as the school board has decided to add another year to the high school course, making it a three-year school. W. M. Oakerson of the state superintendent's office, who examined the school this week, will make a very high report of the work done and the efficiency of the teachers.

M. K. Thompson of Cedar Rapids, Nebr., arrived Tuesday night to visit several weeks with his brother, J. S. Thompson, his sister, Mrs. S. Cox, and other relatives.

J. F. Montgomery went to Kansas City yesterday on business.

No Blue Sky in This

Put your Money where it is safe — in Bonds of your own country

We are at War

Your Government Must Have Money to Win the War and Must Have it NOW

Third Liberty Loan 1918

94 BUSHELS RECORD

CORN TEST STATION KEEPS A BIG FORCE BUSY

CAN HANDLE MORE YET

Rooms Under Real Estate Bank Scene of Activity—Farmers Urged to Bring In Their Seed Corn Promptly

Ninety-four bushels of corn handled in one day is the record so far at the corn testing station in the rooms under the Real Estate bank in charge of District Farm Agent J. M. Huston, who is being assisted in the work by boys and girls at the high school and other volunteers. County Superintendent Bert Cooper is also taking an active interest in the station and besides having turned his own office into an emergency station does a lot of work in connection with Agent Huston.

The big rooms under the bank are filled with corn in the various stages of testing with several hundred egg cases being used in the operation. Bags and baskets and boxes of corn fill every available space. In the boxes from which corn has been tested the ears are arranged in rows and each ear tagged on the end with a number showing its relation to the test box.

Corn is being brought in in large quantities but the station can handle a great deal more and farmers who have delayed getting their corn in to be tested are urged to take advantage of the service offered.

When the test is made every ear is returned with the test reading telling exactly what ears have full germination, which ones have poor germination and which ones are worthless for planting. There is no guess work about it for six grains from different parts of every ear brought in are taken for the test and are planted. The reading is taken from the actual growing capacity of the different grains.

The largest test that has been made for one person was fifteen bushels, every ear of which was read. The usual amount brought in is from two to five bushels.

J. K. BOWMAN DIES AT ELMO

Well Known Farmer Succumbed to An Illness of Pneumonia—Funeral Services On Saturday

J. K. Bowman, 73 years old, died at 10 o'clock this morning at his home near Elmo following an illness of pneumonia.

Funeral services will be held at 11 o'clock Saturday morning at the North Grove church and burial will be in the High Prairie cemetery.

Mr. Bowman lived alone with one son, Lewis, on a farm near Elmo. Five other children also survive him. They are Luke Bowman, Mrs. Zetta Graves, Mrs. Lawson McIntyre and Mrs. James Horn in and near Elmo, and George Bowman of Steele, N. D. Mrs. Bowman died several years ago.

Emmett Bishop of Ravenwood was in Maryville on business today.

7 TO GO TO AMES, IA.

VOLUNTEERS TO TAKE TRAINING FOR SPECIAL SERVICE

ACCEPT ALL WHO APPLY

Board Gets Order to Require Affidavits From Men Who Claim Exemption on Agricultural Grounds

The seven men who have volunteered for the special service call to leave Sunday will be sent to the Agricultural and Mechanical College at Ames, Iowa, the local draft board was advised this afternoon. The board also received the routing for the trip, which arranges for the men to leave here at 2:50 o'clock Sunday morning on a special train that is made up at St. Joseph, and which will carry the entire contingent of this part of the state to the Iowa college. The route is from Maryville to Creston, to Osceola, to Des Moines, thence to Ames, arriving at the training school at 10:10 Sunday morning.

The local board is also in receipt of instructions from Provost Marshal General Crowder that claimants for exemption on agricultural grounds will be required to file affidavits of employers or others qualified in order that the claim may have proper recognition. Farmers who have employees who expect to be exempted from service till after harvest should file affidavits with the local board to this effect otherwise they are likely to be without help.

There are still enough men eligible to fill the present quotas called for without calling on deferred classes the clerk of the draft board announces but volunteers will be accepted for the next quota which leaves on April 26 for Camp Funston. No matter what class volunteers are in they will be accepted in the next quotas called. If not enough volunteers are secured the board will fill the quotas with men as they are available in the lists.

The next quota will be composed of about twenty-five men all of whom will be sent to Camp Funston. Another call soon to follow will call for men for special service.

A BIG CASUALTY LIST.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, April 11.—One of the largest lists of American overseas casualties reached the war department this morning from General Pershing. Officials refused to say how many names were in it, simply characterizing it as "very large." An overnight list of casualties is also ready to be made public, possibly before noon.

Miss Verna Wiseman is visiting with friends and relatives in Ravenwood.

THE SAMMIES MOWED DOWN HUN TROOPS

U. S. TROOPS VICTORIOUS IN A HEAVY ATTACK LAUNCHED NEAR TOUL TODAY

REFUSED TO YIELD TO DRIVE OF "SHOCKERS"

Furious Fighting Still In Progress Along Whole Battle Front—Germans Make Slight Gains, Reporting 6,000 Prisoners

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

With the American Army in France, April 11. — American troops on the front north of Toul today beat off the heaviest attack yet delivered against them when the American lines were assaulted by eight hundred "shock" soldiers. The enemy was completely routed and suffered heavy losses. It was the biggest operation in which the Americans have taken part and was marked by terrific artillery fire. Germans were everywhere and the action lasted two hours. Americans in the front trenches fought with the utmost gallantry and refused to wield a single bit of ground. The Germans advanced in mass formation but were mowed down by American fire.

London, April 11.—Furious fighting continued Wednesday afternoon and all of last night along the whole new battle front from the La Basse canal to Ypres and the Comines canal in Belgium, the war office announced today. The British withdrew from Armentieres, which was full of gas from German shells. Gen. Maurice, director of British military operations at the war office, stated Wednesday that Armentieres had been wrecked by the battle and was of little use to the British.

The utmost severity marked the fighting in the region of the Lawelys canal and from Lestrem to Armentieres. On the front north from Armentieres there has been little change. Near Wylachete and Plogsterteirt heavy fighting continued far into the night.

GERMAN OFFICIAL REPORT.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Berlin (via London), April 11.—The Germans have crossed the Lys river at several points between Armentieres and Estaires, according to the statement from general headquarters.

"North of Armentieres," the statement adds, "we penetrated the English lines on both sides of Waasten-Warneton."

Six thousand prisoners and one hundred guns were captured by the Germans between Armentieres and Labassee canal, the official statement from headquarters announces.

TREES AS SERVICE FLAGS.

East St. Louis, April 11.—This city in the near future will probably have a new kind of service flag, a tree for each local boy in the fighting service. Plans are now being made by the Women's Civic Federation and the Women's Committee of the Council of National Defense to plant these trees near the homes of the enlisted men. The trees will bear the names of the soldiers or sailors they represent.

D. D. and Charles McDermott and Frank Rhoades of Clearmont were in Maryville on business today.

THE WEATHER

Partly cloudy tonight and Friday; continued cool; probably frost tonight.

Notice—

to Vehicle & Car Owners

City Vehicle License is past due and must be paid at once at the City Hall.

(Signed): P. L. EDWARDS, Chief of Police,
E. J. HOWLAND, City Clerk.

Feature Tonight

Empire Theatre

11 and 17 cents

Paramount pictures, with
MME. PETROVA
Unequalled emotional actress, in

"Exile"

A stirring romance of Egypt of today and yesterday.
Tomorrow, "The Whims of Society."
Show begins 7:45 clock time.

Annual Haines Bunch Week

EVERY YEAR WE HOLD THIS NOVEL SPECIAL SALE WEEK. EVERY EMPLOYEE IN THIS STORE OFFERS UNUSUAL BARGAINS IN THEIR RESPECTIVE DEPARTMENTS DURING THIS SPECIAL WEEK. IT I SALWAYS ONE OF THE GREAT BARGAIN CIVING EVENTS OF THE YEAR AT THIS STORE AND THIS YEAR WILL BE AN EXCEPTION. BARGAINS OFFERED DURING THIS SALE WILL BE FAR GREATER THAN AT ANY SALE WE EVER HELD PREVIOUS. MOST OF THE MERCHANDISE OFFERED WILL BE FOR LESS THAN TODAY'S WHOLESALE PRICES.

Haines Bunch Special Sale Will Start Saturday, April 13th and End Saturday Night, April 20th

Mr. Harvey L. Haines

Miss Gladys Ford

Miss Ella Noll

Miss Irene Redfield

Miss Anna Stapler

Miss Stella McDowell

Miss Katherine Vaughn

Miss Elizabeth Heffern

Miss Clara Sherlock

Miss Frank Goodson

Mr. Raymond Murrin

SILKS

Here are bargains in silks that you will not be able to duplicate for a long time to come. Don't fail to take advantage of this Haines Bunch Week Special Prices.

36 inch Satin Messaline silk, black and all colors, per yard will be only $1.35
36 inch Taffeta Silk in nearly all the plain colors, our regular $1.75 quality will be, per yard only $1.49
36 inch poplins in black and colors will be, per yard only 89c
40 inch crepe de chine, our very best quality, will be per yard only $1.43
40 inch georgette crepe in all colors, and the quality that most stores get $2.25 a yard for, during this sale will be, per yard only ... $1.79

All Fancy Silks, including figured, plaids and stripes, will be greatly reduced for this annual event.

$2.75 fancy silk, per yard only $2.29
2.50 fancy silk, per yard only 1.89
2.00 fancy silk, per yard only 1.69
1.75 fancy silk, per yard only 1.49
1.50 fancy silk, per yard only 1.29
$2.50 black taffeta silk, per yard only $2.19
2.00 black taffeta silk, per yard only 1.79
1.75 black taffeta silk, per yard only 1.59
1.50 black taffeta silk, per yard only 1.29
36 inch pongee silk, a very special bargain in white and the natural color, per yard only $1.19

WOOL DRESS GOODS

Wool dress goods are about the scarcest item in the dry goods business, but we have several odd lots which we are very anxious to close out and have made the prices very low.

One small assortment of wool crepes and other novelty dress goods from 36 to 40 inches wide, will be sold at, per yard only 39c
One lot of all wool serges and poplins, etc., not all shades in this assortment, but what we have will be sold at, per yard only 65c
One lot of all wool dress goods, including some plain colors, black and white checks, etc., per yard only 79c

WASH GOODS

One big lot of beautiful figured and flowered designs in voile dress goods will be sold at per yard only 19c
One small lot of odds and ends in silk and cotton crepe de chine, which is very desirable for underwear, waists, dresses, etc., will be closed out at, per yard only 29c
One lot of all kinds of white goods, including skirtings, rice cloths, flaxons, etc., worth up to 39c, will be offered during this Haines Bunch week at, per yard only 25c

BATH TOWELS

One lot of extra large, heavy bath towels, excellent quality, will be closed out at each only 29c
One lot of fancy colored bath towels, slightly soiled from handling, will be sold at **20 per cent off.**

GINGHAMS

Here is one of the most wonderful bargains of this sale in sun and tub proof ginghams. There are 40 full bolts in the assortment—no two patterns alike—including several plain colors. These ginghams were bought over a year ago in anticipation of this sale. This is a bargain which you cannot afford to overlook. The wholesale prices of these ginghams today would be 27½c, but during this Annual Sale you ca nbuy all you want at only, per yd **14½c**

CURTAIN MATERIALS

All curtain materials will be sold this week at **20 per cent off.**

CLOAKS AND SUITS

In order to make it an inducement for you to buy a new cloak or suit, we will sell you any cloak or suit in our store at a reduction of **10 per cent.**

Haines Bunch Having Fun Christmas Eve 1917.

HOUSE DRESSES AND APRONS

We have never had such a large and beautiful line of house dresses and coverall aprons as we now have and here are some very special inducements for you to buy these garments during this sale.

$2.98 House Dresses now only $2.48
2.48 House Dresses now only 1.95
1.98 House Dresses now only 1.69
1.48 House Dresses now only 1.19
$2.48 Coverall Aprons now only $1.95
1.98 Coverall Aprons now only 1.69
1.48 Coverall Aprons now only 1.19
1.19 Coverall Aprons now only ..... .94

DRESSES

One lot of silk poplin dresses, all new spring styles will be sold at each only $8.95
We have selected from our wonderful stock of dresses a large assortment of beautiful garments worth up to $19.75 which we will sell during this Haines Bunch Special Sale Week at the low price of $12.15
All other silk dresses in the house will be sold this week at a reduction of **20 per cent.**

KIMONAS

One big lot of cotton crepe kimonos will be closed out during this sale at **one-third off.**
One small lot of silk kimonos, worth up to $15.00, in order to close out we will make the price, your choice only $5.00

SILK PETTICOATS

Your choice of any silk petticoat in our store during this sale at **10 per cent off.**

PEARL BUTTONS

One special lot of regular 10c pearl buttons, different sizes, will be sold at, per dozen only 5c

BLOUSES

Our entire stock of fine crepe de chine and georgette waists will be reduced in price for this great selling event.

$12.50 Blouses will be $9.75
10.00 Blouses will be 8.65
8.75 Blouses will be 7.25
7.50 Blouses will be 5.95
5.00 Blouses will be 3.95
3.98 Blouses will be 2.95

SKIRTS

One big assortment of dress skirts, made of all wool serges, poplins, large plaid and stripe silks, all this season's newest styles and materials, worth up to $7.50 each, your choice now, only $5.00
All other skirts will be reduced for this special sale **10 per cent.**

READY-TO-WEAR DEPARTMENT

Our Ready-to-Wear Department is beaming full of the most beautiful wearing apparel we have ever had. In order to make this the biggest week this department has ever had, we are going to offer you many wonderful bargains which will be very hard for you to resist buying.

RIBBONS

One special lot of plain and fancy colored, wide ribbons will be closed out at, per yard only **10c**

KNIT UNDERWEAR

One lot of ladies' union suits, excellent quality, will be, each only 39c
One lot of ladies' union suits, in both tight knee and lace trimmed, excellent values only 48c
All other ladies' knit underwear will be sold during this special sale week at **10 per cent off.**

HOSIERY

Special low prices on every pair of hose in our store during this famous Haines Bunch Week.

Our very best $2.00 La France Silk Hose in black, white and a large range of colors will be only, per pair $1.49
Our regular $1.50 pure thread silk hose, the best quality you ever bought, will be, per pair only $1.33
Ladies' pure thread silk hose, in black, white and colors, a wonderful bargain at, per pair only $1.00
Ladies' silk and fiber hose in black and white. These particular stockings are very cheap on today's market at 75c per pair, will be per pair, only 59c
One lot of fiber silk hose, very cheap at 50c, per pair during this sale will be only 39c
Our Melba hose, which is well known and is one of the best lisle hose on the market, will be sold this week at, per pair only 29c
Our fine 50c lisle hose will be pair pair, only 45c

CHILDREN'S HOSE

Our very fine 50c ribbed hose for children will be, per pair only 42c
Our misses' and children's 35c hose will be, per pair only 29c
Our children's and misses' 25c hose will be, per pair only 19c
Be sure and BUY HOSIERY DURING THIS SALE and SAVE Money.

TOILET ARTICLES

Buy these useful and necessary luxuries at our cut-rate Sundries Department.

Here is a list of a few of the items and prices we carry in this department:

Lux 12c
50c Pompeian Massage Cream 39c
50c Pompeian Night Cream 39c
Melba Face Powder 39c
Melbaline Face Powder 19c
Java Rice Powder 39c
La Blache Face Powder 39c
Melba Toilet Water 69c
25c Williams' Toilet Water 19c
50c Williams' Toilet Water 39c
Melba Cold Cream 39c
Melba Skin Cleanser 39c
Palm Olive Soap 10c
Cuticura Soap 19c
Woodbury's Facial Soap 19c
Resinol Soap 19c
Colgate's Palm Soap 8c
Dr. Charles' Flesh Food 19c
Pond's Vanishing Cream 19c
Pond's Cold Cream 19c
Woodbury's Facial Cream 19c
William's Iridesca Face Powder 39c
Non Spi 39c
Odorono 19c
Mum 19c
Djer Kiss Toilet Water $1.25
Djer Kiss Face Powder 60c
Cutex Nail Bleach 19c
Cutex Nail Polishing Paste 19c
Cutex Cuticle Remover 19c
Cutex Nail Enamel 19c
Birt's Head Wash 19c
Williams' Shampoo 19c
Mentholatum 19c
Kolynos Tooth Paste 19c
Pebecco Tooth Paste 39c
Hinds' Honey and Almond Cream 39c
Colgate's Ribbon Dental Cream, large size ... 19c
All Vantine Toilet Articles **20 per cent off.**
All the leading brands of talcum powders—Colgate's, Williams', Lazell's, etc, per can 12c

THREAD

J. & P. Coats' best six-cord cotton thread, only per spool 4c

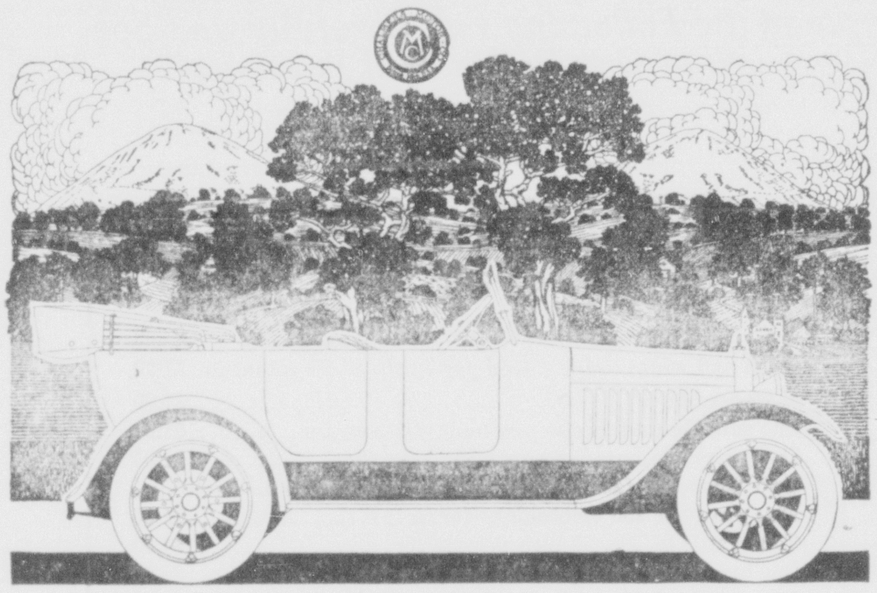
CHILDREN'S DRESSES

One large assortment of children's gingham dresses, fast color, excellent quality, sizes from 6 to 14 years, will be sold at the low prices of, each 94c

Haines *Haines*

The Only Spot Cash and One Price Dry Goods Store in Nodaway County.

An engine that lures power from gas and sets it down minus jerks, vibrations, into a softness of action that has never been surpassed; "Hot-Spot" and "Ram's-Horn" Manifold (Chalmers devices) are responsible



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53 GERMANS CHANGE NAMES.

Sacramento, Calif., April 11.—Not all Germans are proud of the kaiser and the fatherland. At least fifty-three Germans in California were so discontented with Kaiser Bill's way of doing things that they even sacrificed their family names to get away from the atmosphere of Prussianism. One of these fifty-three patriots, A. Huyerstuhl, showed his intense loyalty to the United States by changing his name to Hoover.

The old fashioned man who used to get into trouble writing letters now has a son smart enough to use the long distane etelephone.

Ravenwood News

Miss Nellie Lee Sims, Correspondent

Miss Fay Bishop went to Fillmore Saturday for a visit with her aunt, Mrs. Dr. Miles, returning home Monday by way of St. Joseph, where she attended the Galli-Curci concert.

Frank Folley, electrician of Kansas City, assisted with some needed repairs at the central telephone office this week.

Harold Tebow, who is serving as a mine sweeper in North Seas, writes home March 20 from London, where he is spending a five day furlough. He says he is disappointed in the city when compared with those in U. S. A.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bogue, Monday, April 8, a girl.

Dr. J. D. Crawford and father, John Crawford, drove from Osceola, Ia., for few days visit with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Bentley and Ernest Orr motored to Lincoln, Nebr., last Sunday to visit with Gene Goodson and family.

E. F. Bishop attended the Galli-Curci concert at St. Joseph Monday evening.

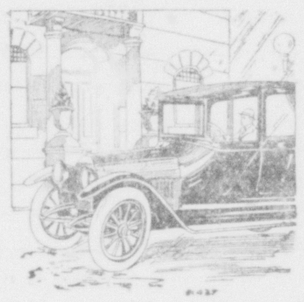
Miss Bessie Bonam and Miss Leora Allen, Normal students, spent the week-end vacation at the Allen home.

I. A. Goodson and family and D. M. Bishop and family visited with M. Goodson in Maryville Sunday.

COURT FREES MAN WHO WHIPPED A PRO-GERMAN

Fond du Lac, Wis., April 11.—Because John Fox asserted that he could place a German flag on his residence if he so desired he was given a beating by James Finnegan. Fox had Finnegan arrested, but the court declared that it could find no man guilty in an assault case provoked by an individual who talked favorably concerning the Teuton flag.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.



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APPEAL TO DOCTORS

DEFENSE COUNCIL HEAD URGES ENROLLMENT FOR SERVICE

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Number of Calls to Active Duty of Members of the Medical Corps Is Increasing Each Week

Dr. Franklin Martin, chairman of the general medical board of the Council of National Defense, has issued the following statement:

Increase in the number of calls to active duty of the members of the Medical Reserve Corps indicates need of enrolling physicians as new members and the general medical board of the Council of National Defense is cooperating with the surgeon general's office in sending a new appeal to the medical profession.

There were (March 1) 144,869 physicians in the 48 states and District of Columbia. The surgeon general's report for March 22 gives a total of 18,138 officers in the Medical Reserve Corps and of these 14,911 are on active duty. Weekly reports indicate that the officers are being called to active duty in greater numbers than they are being admitted to the reserve corps.

22,309 Recommended.

When the declaration of war demonstrated that there would be great need for physicians the general medical board of the Council of National Defense began to secure data regarding physicians throughout the country. In all, 22,309 doctors have been recommended by the surgeon general to the adjutant general's office for commissions in the Medical Reserve Corps—15 per cent of the doctors of the country.

In addition to the members of the Medical Reserve Corps who are called to active duty, others for various reasons—illness, accident or other unforeseen contingency—are obliged to leave the service. So the margin is being constantly drawn upon and the need of new members is indicated, as the surgeon general and the Council of National Defense are desirous of having a safe margin maintained at all times.

Physicians who enroll are advised and urged not to relinquish their practice until informed by the surgeon general's office that they are soon to be called for active service. It has been the policy of the surgeon general's office to allow fifteen days in order that a physician may adjust his affairs between the time that he receives his orders and the date on which he will be expected to report.

In order to acquaint the medical profession with the great need of physicians and surgeons for work in connection with the war representatives are being sent to various parts of the country and will continue to be sent as needed. These representatives are addressing meetings of the doctors called by their state committees, who are cooperating with Washington.

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A NEW CIVIL SERVICE RULE

Applicants for Positions May Be Examined at Place Where Examination Is Held Regardless of Residence

Washington, April 11.—The United States Civil Service Commission announces that on March 27, 1918, the president approved a joint resolution of congress suspending, during the period of the present war, the operation of the provision of the law which required applicants for civil service examinations to be examined in the state or territory in which they reside. During the period of the war, therefore, applicants for any examination held by the commission may be examined at any place at which the examination is held regardless of their place of residence.

An act of July 2, 1909, required examinations to be taken in the state of residence. While this provision is suspended for the period of the war, it is still required that only those who have been actually domiciled in the state or territory in which they reside for at least one year previous to the examination may become eligible for permanent appointment to the apportioned departmental service in Washington, D. C.

The commission expects this change to make it easier to obtain applicants for positions in Washington. Competent stenographers, typists, and bookkeepers are in great demand. Examinations are held weekly throughout the country. Representatives of the civil service commission at the postoffices in all cities are furnishing detailed information and application blanks.

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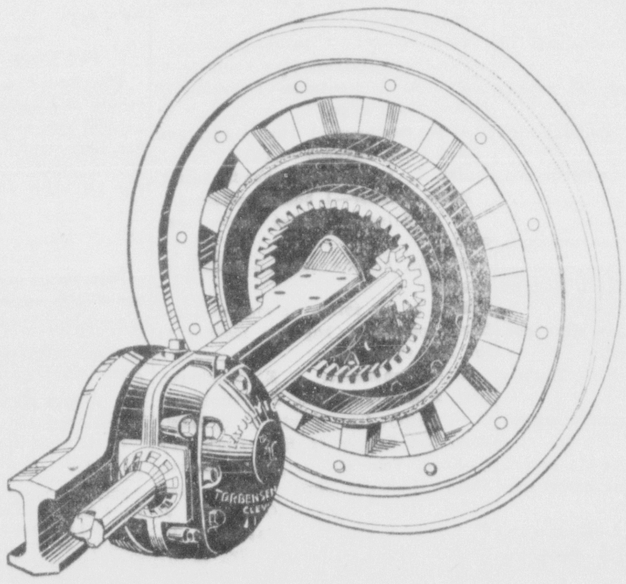

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Is Now at Virgin Islands.

Frank Reynolds is in receipt of a letter from his brother, Corporal Harry Reynolds, with the U. S. Marines at St. Thomas, Virgin Islands, the first word he has had from him for some time. Corporal Reynolds, who has been in service for several years, writes that he is well and that news from that section is scarce.

J. M. Broadbent, formerly of Barnard, has moved to the property he recently purchased at Guilford and will make his home there.

Stork and Cupid Cunning Plotters

Many a New Home will Have a Little ..... to Brighten It.

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A GIFT OF 45 HOGS

ELMO RESIDENTS IN BIG DONATION TO RED CROSS SALE

FINE LIVE STOCK GIVEN

Bellows Bros. and Nodaway Breeders Ass'n Donate Scotch Cow and Calf and a Pure Bred Heller

The Red Cross sale Saturday afternoon promises to be the biggest event of the kind ever held in Maryville, for as the date draws near there is a rush of people from every part of the county to donate articles, furniture, farm implements, eggs and chickens —articles from a half gallon of sauer kraut to a car load of hogs will go under the auctioneer's hammer for the benefit of "our boys over there." The biggest donation in thelong list today is forty-five hogs given by as many residents of Elmo.

Bellows Bros. have donated a pure bred Scotch cow, safe in calf to Anoka Sandmastiff for sale. The Nodaway Breeders Association has also donated a 15-month-old heifer, purchased by them from the Sunnybrook farm.

There will be a committee at the court house square Saturday morning to receive all articles that may be brought in at that time.

The following list of donations is reported today:

Mrs. W. R. Smiley—$25.00.

Mrs. O. M. Gray—1 bushel potatoes Shoemaker-Bovard Transfer Co.—1 ton coal.

Mrs. John Diss—1 jar strawberry preserves.

Mrs. Howard—Fruit.

Mrs. G. F. Holmes—1 quart beet relish.

Mrs. Alfred Jones—100 Single Comb Rhode Island Red eggs.

Independent Oil Co.—5 gallons cylinder oil, Mobile.

Miss Margaret Cook—2 dozen eggs.

Miss Bertha Tobin—Home canned fruit.

Miss Florence Anderson—Embroidered towel.

Mrs. R. P. Wignell—½ gallon pickles.

Mrs. John Dempsey—2 dozen eggs; 2 pounds butter; 2 jars fruit.

Mrs. Ed Russell—1 setting brown Leghorn eggs.

Mrs. L. T. Devore—½ bushel potatoes.

Mrs. K. R. Malotte—1 cake.

Mrs. T. J. Prickett—Canned fruit and vegetables.

Mrs. J. M. Ringgold—1 jar pickles; 1 apron.

Mrs. G. B. Holmes—1 setting Buff Orpington eggs.

Mrs. G. H. Leech—½ gallon pickles.

Mrs. A. F. Blagg—1 bushel onions.

Mrs. W. A. Blagg—2 cans of gooseberries.

Mrs. Sarah Wright—2 quarts of pickles.

Mrs. Al Dragoo—1 setting Plymouth Rock eggs; ½ gallon pickles; ½ gallon beet pickles.

Mrs. T. H. Wiles—1 cake.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Graves—1 dozen pure bred White Plymouth Rock hens

Mrs. L. R. Holt—1 bushel apples.

Mrs. S. A. Helwig—2 pairs soldier's hand-knitted socks.

Mrs. Percy Ingerson—1 bushel o seed potatoes; 1 can chow-chow.

Mrs. Thomas Davis—1 setting Tabuse goose eggs.

Mrs. Henry Trullinger—1 cake; 1 quarts pickles.

L. L. Berry—1 hog.

Mrs. Chas. Blagg—1 gallon lard.

Mrs. Fred Lyle—1 bushel potatoes; 1 quart canned corn.

Mrs. Clarence Lyle—1 bushel potatoes; ½ gallon tomatoes.

Mrs. Chas. Carter—1 bushel potatoes; 1 quart fruit.

Mrs. J. C. Clayton—Popcorn.

Mrs. W. D. Hoshor—½ gallon gooseberries; 1 peck popcorn.

Mrs. Moody—½ bushel apples.

Mrs. Joe Henderson—2 settings of White Leghorn eggs.

Mrs. Smith—2 settings Barred Rock eggs.

Mrs. Davis—3 pounds butter.

Mrs. Holbrook—1 quart beans.

Mrs. J. M. Smith—1 quart fruit.

Miss Jennie Reece—Fifty cents.

Mrs. Ingerson—$1.00.

Mrs. Sam Townsend—1 quart fruit.

Mrs. Fred Jamison—Buff Rock eggs, 2 settings.

Mrs. J. L. Key—1 bushel choice Early Ohio potato seed; 1 bushel onions.

Mrs. Virgil Keene — 1 angel food cake; 1 quart fig preserves; 1 quart preserves.

Mrs. Blaugell—3 pounds butter.

Mrs. Reed Conrad—½ gallon pickles.

Mrs. Chas. Russell—½ gallon tomatoes; 1 quart corn.

Miss Nan Fannon—1 hen; ½ gallon fruit.

Mrs. Geo. Collins—2 pounds butter.

Mrs. J. L. Hunt—½ bushel potatoes; 2 quarts pickled beets.

Mrs. Geo. Null—1 can peaches; 1 can pears.

Mrs. Friland—2 lace yokes.

Mrs. Reynolds—1 quart sweet apple preserves; 1 quart tomatoes.

Mrs. Leuiks—1 angel food cake.

Mrs. Burt Rowley—1 large cake.

Mrs. Ruddle—1 hen.

Mrs. Catherine Miller—1 chicken; 1 can beans; $5.00.

Mrs. Houchens—1 chicken.

Mrs. Groppe—1 quart of pear preserves.

Mrs. J. C. Allen—1 quart cherries.

Mrs. Eckert—1 quart peaches.

Mrs. Maier—1 quart pickles.

Mr. Trueblood—Fruit.

Mrs. Hopper—1 quart cherries.

Mrs. Braniger—2 quarts fruit.

Mrs. C. B. Croy—3 dozen eggs.

Mrs. Zwilling—1 fine rooster.

Mrs. Slater—½ gallon sauer kraut.

Mrs. Haiste—1 chicken.

Mrs. Coler—1 chicken.

Mrs. Brink—1 can tomatoes.

Mrs. Coffman—½ gallon tomatoes.

Mrs. Gault—1 fine rooster.

Beatrice Puckett—1 can beans; can corn.

Mrs. Earl Kissinger—½ gallon pickles; ½ gallon can beans.

J. A. Spiers—1 pair geese.

Mrs. R. B. Montgomery—1 can corn; 1 can strawberries.

Mrs. Arthur Warner—½ can mixed pickles.

Mrs. W. J. Wilson—1 setting White Plymouth Rock eggs.

Mrs. Newcomer—½ bushel of apples; 1 quart strawberry preserves.

Mrs. Roy Conrad—1 hen.

Arthur Kiser—½ bushel of seed corn.

Mrs. Dale Simmons—12 dozen eggs.

Packers Market—5 pounds weiners.

First National bank, Gillam-Jackson Loan and Trust Co.—$25.00.

Garrett Hardware Co.—Egg poacher and roaster.

South Side Bakery—1 case tomatoes.

Gaugh & Evans—Complete outfit for chicken (Wolf).

Tony Bluei—1 sack potatoes.

Chas. Buhler—1 ham.

R. S. Braniger—1 bag of hen food.

Henry Cook—Pair young roosters.

Wadley Bros.—1 Old Sol flashlight.

Koch Pharmacy—Thermos bottle.

E. L. Townsend—1 box Ben Hur soap.

M. Nusbaum—1 traveling bag.

August Stapler—5 pounds of lard.

Hudson & Welch—1 Daisy churn.

Maryville Drug Co. — Meerschaum pipe.

Barmann Auto Co.—1 Michelin tube 30 x 3½.

Maryville Furniture Co.—1 Ostermoor mattress.

Mrs. O. M. Gray—1 bushel potatoes.

Philip Straugh—$10.00.

Mrs. Fred Newlon—1 angel food cake.

Mrs. Dave Neidel—½ bushel Jonathan apples.

Mrs. J. M. Ringgold—1 jar pickles.

Mrs. Alf Cockayne—1 hen; 2 dozen eggs.

Englemann Greenhouses — Potted plants.

Kessler Hardware Co.—1 incubator, "Old Trusty."

Landon Music Co.—1 small victrola, 10 records.

Esther Roseberry—Mantel clock.

Mrs. John Herron—Morris chair.

Mrs. S. E. Davis—½ dozen glasses grape jelly.

Mrs. H. A. Foster—1 barrel Mason fruit jars.

Mrs. Oman—Prune cake.

Miss Bettie Turner—Hand-painted vase.

Mrs. Juvenal — Hand embroidered tea towel.

Mrs. Perrin—1 cake.

Mrs. Elias Orear—1 hen; 2 dozen eggs.

Mrs. W. A. White—50 Barred Rocks; eggs for setting.

Dale Simmons—3 bushel of oats.

Mrs. Ben Bosch—1 hen.

Mrs. Ed Simmons—1 cake.

Mrs. Hilsabeck—1 jar fruit.

Mrs. J. H. Alexander—1 angel food cake; 2 settings eggs.

Mrs. J. N. Alexander—Pies.

Mrs. Lucinda Hood—1 bushel timothy seed; eggs.

J. H. Alexander—5 bushel oats.

Mrs. Frank Vanvelson—3 hens.

Mrs. O'Banion—1 hen.

Mrs. Elmer Wood—½ gallon relish.

Mrs. Herman Hull—1 bushel potatoes; 1 setting White Plymouth Rock eggs.

Mrs. D. E. Hotchkin—1 can peaches.

Mrs. Truitt—1 quart gooseberries.

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Spanish pimentos, 20c cans for	15c
Pioneer minced sea clams, No. 1 cans for	20c
No. 1 tall cans asparagus	15c
Chili sauce, extra nice quality, bottle	15c
Pint jars apple butter	15c
No. 1 cans sliced pine apple, 2 for	25c
Extra fancy eating apples (Roman Beauty) peck	65c
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5c pkgs Star Naptha washing powder, 2 for	11c
1 lb carton pure leaf lard, 2 for	65c
1 lb box Imperial boneless cod fish	28c
P. & G. white naptha soap (large bars) 4 for	22c
Large lemons (40c size) per dozen	25c
Sour Kraut, lb	5c
Jello, all kinds, 2 pkgs	15c
Extra fancy evaporated peaches, lb	15c
Cocktail pine apple, No. 1 cans 3 for	25c
5 lb cans K C baking powder	70c
Large white table potatoes, bu	$1.00
No. 1 Michigan salt, large bbls, non-hardening	$2.70
1 dozen cans choice sugar corn	$1.25
1 dozen cans solid pack tomatoes	$1.10
Choice bulk seedless raisins, 10 lbs	$1.00
10c pkg spices, any kind, 2 for	15c
Troco, butter substitute, 2 lbs	65c
No. 3 cans hominy, 10c; dozen	$1.10
Calif. lima beans, 3 lbs	50c
Libby's large bottle salad dressing	25c
Blood red Alaska salmon, 1 tall can	28c
Alaska Chum salmon, 1 lb tall can	18c
Best creamery butter, 2 lbs	85c
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One suit 75c underwear—one pair 40c hose for	$1.00
Two pairs 40c hose—one pair 35c hose for	$1.00
Two boxes 50c face powder and one box 25c Perin dentifrice.	
Five yards of 25c embroidery for	$1.00
Four yards of 30c, 36 inch percale for	$1.00
One one dollar waist and one box Lux for	$1.00
Four yards of 30c white flaxon for	$1.00
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Miss Bertha Beal—1 quart tomatoes.

Miss Allie Beal—$5.00.

Mrs. J. F. Robertson—1 quart of cherries.

Vern Jones, Pickering—50 pounds popcorn.

Mrs. Mitchell Ray—4 pounds dried apples.

D. R. Eversole — 1 linoleum rug, room size.

Moose Cafe—1 case Gozo.

Byers Grocery — 1 case tomatoes, Bumble Bee brand.

H. H. Bellows and L. E. H. Bellows —1 registered Shorthorn bull.

Harvey L. Haines—1 box silk hose.

Real Estate bank—1 colt.

Mrs. E. Wilhoyt—1 setting Burban Red Turkey eggs.

Mrs. Bert Lewis—4 quarts canned vegetables.

Mrs. Rol Thomas—2 pounds butter.

Rol Thomas — 1 galoln home sorghum.

Mrs. Roger Chestnut—2 dozen eggs.

John Chestunt—1 dozen cans tomatoes.

Mrs. J. C. Chestnut—1 bu. potatoes.

Miss Hazel Wallace—1 cake.

Mrs. Lee Wallace—6 dozen eggs.

J. D. Jones—2 dozen eggs.

Mrs. Lee McKibban—4 quarts strawberries.

Frank Trusty—2 dozen eggs.

Mrs. Joe Williams—2 dozen eggs.

Mrs. Ben Allen—1 gallon tomatoes; 1 dozen eggs.

John Schrock—1 bushel potatoes.

Mrs. Roy Kelly—2 jars apple jelly.

Mrs. A. R. Robinson—1 setting of Barred Rock eggs.

A. R. Robinson—1 bushel potatoes.

Mrs. P. H. Farrens—1 cake.

Mrs. L. L. Clary—2 pounds butter

Eddie Belcher—1 bushel potatoes.

G. L. Allen—1 bushel choice seed corn.

Mrs. W. A. Townsend—5 pounds of popcorn.

Each of the following men at Elmo have donated a hog for market to the Red Cross sale:

H. F. Honemaker, J. E. Dougherty, Bert Messbarger, Geo. P. Shoptaugh, F. K. Bailey, Geo. Colvin, F. B. Hamilton, Wm. Dougherty, H. J. Horn, Roy E. Horn, Tom Bailey, Elliott Sheets, Floyd Needham, Roy Smith, Glen Bailey, Ross Needham, Otie Britt, J. W. Clardy & Co., N. I. Staples, H. M. Lee, L. Yaple, C. Larmar, Jr., L. W. Huff, Wesley Huff, Sam DeVault, Lamb Bros., C. R. Larmar, Earl Hopper, H. C. DeVault, Henry Neff, Wm. Ecker, M. W. Bowman, F. & C. Horn, Chas. Severs, Geo. Bloomfield, Phil Miller, C. J. Jennings, Allie Bradley, Ray Ecker, Ed Ward, Ed Vansickle, John Larmar, Lyman Hull, Gale Kinman, Leslie Horn.

C. A. Aley—3 settings White Leghorn eggs.

Red Cross Sale at Gullford.

The Red Cross auxiliaries in Jefferson township have announced an auction sale to be held at Guilford on Saturday, April 20. A committee of five business men are in charge of the sale, with two committeemen in each school district. Donations are already being received.

Will Wray of Guilford was on the St. Joseph market yesterday with a car load of hogs and one of cattle.

Stop Itching Eczema

Never mind how often you have tried and failed, you can stop burning, itching eczema quickly by applying a little zemo furnished by any druggist for 35c. Extra large bottle, $1.00. Healing begins the moment zemo is applied. In a short time usually every trace of eczema, tetter, pimples, rash, blackheads and similar skin diseases will be removed.

For clearing the skin and making it vigorously healthy, always use zemo, the penetrating, antiseptic liquid. It is not a greasy salve and it does not stain. When others fail it is the one dependable treatment for skin troubles of all kinds.

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Special Sale of High Grade Paints

We are overstocked with paints, and in order to reduce the stock we will cut the price on all of our

Bradley-Vrooman House Paints

This is the best grade paint—known all over the country for its economical and long wearing qualities. It retails for from $3 to $4 per gallon, but to close it out we will sell it beginning next Saturday, April 13, at per gallon

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Inside colors (Washable Interior Paints), special wagon paint and screen paint in large or small quantities at a big discount.

Get your paint now—you will never be able to save more on it and at the same time get the best paint.

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ENGLAND & SAWYER, Props.

News From Guilford.
Hazel Wilson, Correspondent.

The track meet held at Guilford on last Saturday was a success in every way. A large crowd was out and several other schools, both rural and town, participated in the contests.

An appreciative audience heard Judge John M. Dawson and D. R. Baker speak on the third Liberty Loan.

Lester Ellis spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Ellis.

The Red Cross auxiliary's request for last Thursday's eggs was a decided success, it having netted nearly $65. At last Friday's meeting they finished sixty triangular bandages.

The Guilford high school class is working hard on their play, "Not So Bad After All," to be given at the opera house next Friday night. The high school orchestra will furnish the musical part of the program.

John Donaldson of the White Oak neighborhood is hauling material for the erection of a new house on the Morris farm.

The depot at Guilford is being treated to a new coat of paint.

Miss Eunice Weathermon of Kansas City spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Leona Weathermon.

Leslie Reynolds, who was injured last Thursday while jumping, is able to be out again.

Sam Jobe is having his home repainted and a new roof put on this week.

Mrs. Charles Covey is visiting her husband at Camp Funston this week.

Earl Brittain of Camp Funston spent last Sunday with his parents.

The Guilford Times is now in quarters of its own, Editor Torrance having purchased the building he occupies from John R. Nelson last week.

Orr B. White of Mount Ayr visited his mother, Mrs. Anna B. White, last week.

News at Clearmont.

Maurine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Stewart, is dangerously ill with pneumonia fever.

The following is a report of the Mt. Pleasant auxiliary of the Red Cross: 45 heel rings, 96 many-tailed bandages, 55 shot bags, 35 triangular bandages, 30 16x24 paper backed pads, 45 operating helmets, 5 girls' skirts, 2 children's dresses, 1 child's apron, 2 boys' suits, 3 infants' shirts. Miss Ora LeGrand is chairman.

J. H. Billingsley reports that he has twelve Duroc-Jersey brood sows that raised him 82 pigs.

Earl Dale, who has been working for W. W. Jones in his meat market, has been transferred to Burlington Junction and Jess Thacker of that place will take Mr. Dale's place here and will move in the Combs property in the east part of town.

Verda Livengood has been confined with the measles.

The ladies of the Khaki Backers auxiliary finished 350 pieces during the month of March as follows: 25 4x4 compresses, 24 9x9 compresses, 59 6x3 folded gauze strips, 76 sponges, 20 8x12 absorbent pads, 57 4x4 wipes, 9 3-yard rolls, 28 four-tailed bandages, 28 many-tailed bandages, 25 abdominal bandages, 15 T binders, 5 baby quilts.

Ab Henry and wife of Clarinda, Ia., visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. Ross Stewart.

Wm. Turpen, Jr., moved to Pickering last week.

Jacob Burch has more than 300 little pigs on his farm. Jake believes in raising hogs but he says the most important part is taking care of the pigs, at which Jake is an expert.

The Noe & Humphrey threshing machine men say that with but few exceptions the wheat in this section looks more promising than for several years. However, rain is needed badly.

Saturday was a big day in Clearmont. At 2:30 the Liberty Loan parade formed near the Methodist church while the school and church bells were ringing and headed by the Clearmont band marched south to Chamberlain street and west to Pine street, then north to Main street, then east to the church where Rev. T. H. Wiles and M. E. Ford of Maryville made patriotic appeals to the people to subscribe for Liberty Bonds, to which they generously responded to the tune of about $14,000. There is no question but what Atchison township will go "over the top" this time.

W. P. Lemon and wife and son, Wm. Jr., left Monday for Soldier, Kans., to attend the funeral of a cousin of Mr. Lemon, who died at Camp Funston.

PRODUCES 132 BUSHELS OF CORN ON ONE ACRE

Mount Vernon, Mo., April 11.—The growing honors for the 1917 crop go to Kenneth McClure of Lawrence county. This boy grew 132 bushels and eight pounds of corn on one acre. This is the highest yield reported in the state.

Society and Clubland

By MISS LUTA MOODY
Hanamo 42. Farmers 114

Buy Bonds, Says Bok.

(By Edward Bok, editor of the Ladies Home Journal).

If every woman in America correctly understood the safety to herself in an investment in a Liberty Loan Bond I doubt if there would be many bonds left for the men to buy. These bonds should have an unusual attraction to a woman left with small means to invest, since she is generally not as well informed as a man with regard to safe investments. She wants to put her money where it is safe, because, as a rule, it is all that she has, but she does not know where to put it. There are thousands of such women all through the country who are naturally timid about investing their money and I wish that my words might reach every woman so placed so that she might look for herself into the unusual opportunity offered her for a safe haven for her money. Her own intelligence would then quickly convince her that her dream of placing her money where she cannot lose it had come true. If any word of mine can help such a woman to reach a decision I am only too glad to speak it and urge her to do the double duty that is hers: First, the duty to the safety of her own money and, second, the duty that she performs to her country when she buys a Liberty Bond.

Eastern Star.

The Eastern Star lodge will meet at 8 o'clock tomorrow night at the I. O. O. F. hall.

Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Allen entertained at dinner today in honor of the sixtieth birthday anniversary of their mother and her sister, Mrs. John Herron.

Week-end Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Carter of Stanberry, who were recently married, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clem Carter of Ravenwood. Mr. Carter, who is enlisted for shipbuilders service, expects to leave soon.

O. E. S. of Ravenwood.

The O. E. S. lodge of Ravenwood met Wednesday night with a number of visitors from the nearby chapters present. Following the initiation of several candidates luncheon was served.

Entertained for Husband.

Mrs. L. R. Holt entertained at 7 o'clock dinner last night in honor of her husband, who was celebrating his fifty-ninth birthday anniversary. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Holt and three children, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Holt, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Holt and Mr. and Mrs. Alex Holt.

Six o'Clock Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry McMullen of Ravenwood were host and hostess at a 6 o'clock dinner party Wednesday night at their home. Their guests were Mrs. L. A. Joy, Mrs. Hawley Wright, Mrs. Dan Crawford and little son, Richard, of Osceola, Ia., Hannibal Wright, Vira McMullen and Mrs. Mattie McMullen.

For Oklahoma Guests.

Mrs. M. C. Goff and daughter, Mrs. Flossie Miller, entertained at dinner Tuesday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Goff of Deer Creek, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Goff of Ada, Okla. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Goff of Barnard, Mr. and Mrs. Walker Oglesby and Mrs. Ralph Kessler of Ravenwood, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Goff, Mrs. Walter Maul, Miss Juvenia Goff, Louie Wilson Goff, Dean Goff Miller and the honor guests.

Scott-Carmichael.

Miss Orilla Carmichael, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Carmichael of near Hopkins, and J. A. Scott of Winifred, Mont., were married yesterday afternoon by Judge Jesse Robertson. Mr. and Mrs. Scott left on the afternoon train for Oklahoma City where they will visit Mr. Scott's mother. They will then visit in Hemingford, Nebr., after which they will go to their home near Winifred, Mont. There Mr. Scott operates a ranch.

Guests at Hogue Home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Hart, who have been visiting relatives near Parnell and Orrsburg since their marriage on April 5, came to Maryville Tuesday and were guests until Wednesday of Mrs. Hattie Hogue and daughter, Miss Myrtle. Mr. Hart, who is enlisted in the navy, left Wednesday night for Fortress Monroe, Va., where he will report for duty on the U. S. S. Nebraska. Mrs. Hart, who has been a student at the Normal, will resume her studies at once. Miss Mabel Fraser, a sister of Mrs. Hart, was also a guest at 6 o'clock dinner Tuesday night at the Hogue home.

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The variety of fashions is now the largest of any time during the entire spring season and the prices are no more than they will be later on. Get a full season's wear from your garments — it costs no more.

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Tailored Suits at $29.50

If you have not secured your Spring Suit you should do so at once. Of special interest at this time is our large assortment of tailored suits at $29.50. The materials are poplin, serge, and wool crash in Navy, Sammy, Quaker-Gray, Black, Poilu, Blue and check effects.
Other suits at, each..... $19.50 to $42.50

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Spring Coats at $20.00

Why wait longer to buy a spring coat? The stock now comprises all the best styles, colors and weaves that will be shown this season.

Never were we better prepared than at present to give you coats that will meet every need.

Make an effort to see the assortment we now have on display at each $20
The colors are Navy, Sammie, Black, Poilu-Blue and mixtures. The materials are Gabardine, Velour, Serge and mixtures. Other Spring Coats at each $12 to $32.50

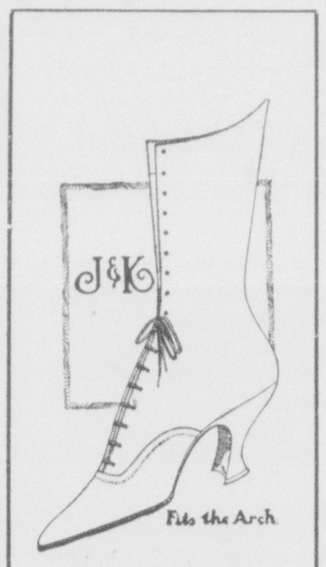
BLOUSES

Georgette crepe blouses in white, flesh, rose, and maize. Some are beaded, others lace trimmed and some have embroidered and tucked effects. All are beautiful new styles and real values, at each..... $6.75
Other blouses at..... $1.00 to $12.75

Spring Hats $5.00

We now have on display for your easy selection a large collection of Spring hats. Small, medium and large shapes with ribbon, flowers and wings for trimming.

Black, Sand and Gray are all prominent in this assortment.
See this special assortment at each $5
Other Spring Hats at..$3.50 to $12.50



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J & K's seductive styles in Spring and Summer footwear are now on display—reasonably priced despite their unusual merit and unusual smartness.

Montgomery Shoe Company

Entertained Visiting Delegates.

The members of the Westminster Guild and the Christian Endeavor Society of the Presbyterian church entertained at 6:30 o'clock dinner last night at the church parlors in honor of the visiting delegates from the young people's societies. Additional guests were officers of the Guild, officers of the Christian Endeavor, newly elected officers of the Presbyterial Society, the retiring president, Mrs. Duncan Brown of St. Joseph, the retiring secretary of the young people's work, Miss Ethel Caskill of St. Joseph, and the three patronesses of the Maryville Guild, Mrs. S. A. Colle, Mrs. G. H. Colbert and Mrs. Joseph Jackson, Jr.

Entertains Mother's and Baby's Club.

Mrs. Alfred E. McNeal and baby daughter, Verna Mae, entertained the Mother's and Baby's club yesterday afternoon from 2:30 till 5 o'clock. Light refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Fred Yeomans. The guests included: Mrs. Cleav Funk and little son, William Sturm, Mrs. James Felix and daughter, Helen Dorothy, Mrs. Andy Cummins and little daughter, Clara Inez, Mrs. William Dreyer and baby daughter, Mary Josephine, Mrs. Delmar Coffman and little son, Billie Jack, Mrs. George Palfreyman and son, George Robert, and Mrs. Fred Yeomans and daughter, Sarah May.

Sunday Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lewis entertained at 12 o'clock dinner Sunday the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lawson, Mr. and Mrs. Merton Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Bloomfield, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Porter, George, Ralph and Marie Lewis. Afternoon guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Bert Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Edwards, Howard, Virginia and George Lewis Edwards.

Tim Butts is spending a few days in Boulder, Colo. Mr. Butts drove through in a car with his brother, Newt Butts, and family, who will make their home there.

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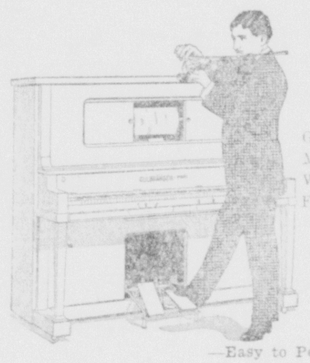

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The genuine Mahogany, Walnut or Oak veneers are beautifully figured and tastefully matched. Coat after coat of fine varnish has been applied to the surfaces, outside and in, with careful, scientific drying between coats; then rubbed to glass-like smoothness.

As you choose, the finish will be either a high polish or the "Satin Rub," half dull.

The proportions of the cases are classic, one might say. It would be hard to suggest any addition or subtraction that would not mar their symmetry.

Yet, all this beauty and quality becomes yours at a sensible price. That's because efficiency, organization and big-scale production have made a sensible price possible.

Landon Music Company

Make Every Acre Count

(Maryville District Farm News Notes, By James Huston, District Agent).

Thomas Slawson of Rea, Mo., who has been appointed seed corn agent for Andrew county, is interested in seeing that every corn grower in his county is supplied with enough good seed corn to plant his acreage. He is busily engaged this week in working out a scheme of getting in touch personally with every farmer in the county in the effort to equalize the supply of seed corn. His slogan is, "Supply yourself, then help supply your neighbor."

He has appointed two assistants in each of the eighty-six districts of the county upon whom he has placed the responsibility of aiding the corn growers in their districts to obtain corn suitable to plant. He urges that each man appoint call meetings at the school not later than Friday, April 12, that they plan to hold a discussion relative to the germinating quality and to the supply of seed which will in a measure determine the amount of tested seed corn at the disposal of the planters. Should mutual discussions be held in every school district of the county upon Friday evening there is little question but that a more secure feeling as to the critical condition of the seed corn will be the outcome of these meetings. The question throughout the district is not a matter of a lack of corn, but rather a lack of corn of known germination qualities. These meetings will make possible the discussion of the results obtained from testing and should convince every man who has as yet not tested his corn to either have it tested or to test it himself.

Individual Ear vs. General Testing.

The individual ear test should precede the general test. The former makes possible this selection of ears that will grow; the latter determines the rate of planting. If the average germination percentage runs uniformly low and it is found necessary to plant seed germination as low as 65 to 75 per cent, the proper procedure is to calculate the rate at which it should be planted to secure the desired number of sound kernels per acre.

A normal stand of corn is based on 6,556 or 7,112 stalks per acre. If the corn tests 96 per cent, and two plants per hill is desired, then three kernels per hill should be planted. The average would be two sound kernels and one dead kernel per hill, but they will not be uniformly distributed.

This will make no material difference in the yield as there may be considerable variation in the total number of plants per acre without material effect upon the yield. The plants in the proportion of missing hills grow larger and yield more because of the lack of immediate competition, and the surrounding hills are more productive for the same reason.

It is not a wise thing to lose sight of the adaptation of the corn planted. Low germination seed of the adapted strain is to be preferred to high germinating seed shipped from a state of different latitude. Smaller yields and inferior quality frequently result. The condition is critical, but not so critical that we are compelled to plant just anything that will grow.

The testing of seed corn for sale is to be encouraged, but in this emergency the attempt to profiteer by the sale of seed corn is unpatriotic and un-American. The Missouri State Corn Growers' Association adopted the resolutions touching upon this point which are here introduced.

Whereas, There is a great shortage of first class seed corn throughout the grain belt, and

Whereas, There seems to be a tendency on the part of certain firms and individuals to take advantage of the situation by demanding exhorbitant prices.

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved, by the Corn Growers' Association of Missouri in convention assembled at Columbia, Missouri, on January 17, 1918, that in this emergency the attempt to profiteer by the sale of seed corn at an unreasonable price is unpatriotic and un-American.

Be It Further Resolved, That it is the sense of this association that a fair price for tested corn shall be $5.00 per bushel for pure bred corn of a standard variety.

Save the Pigs.

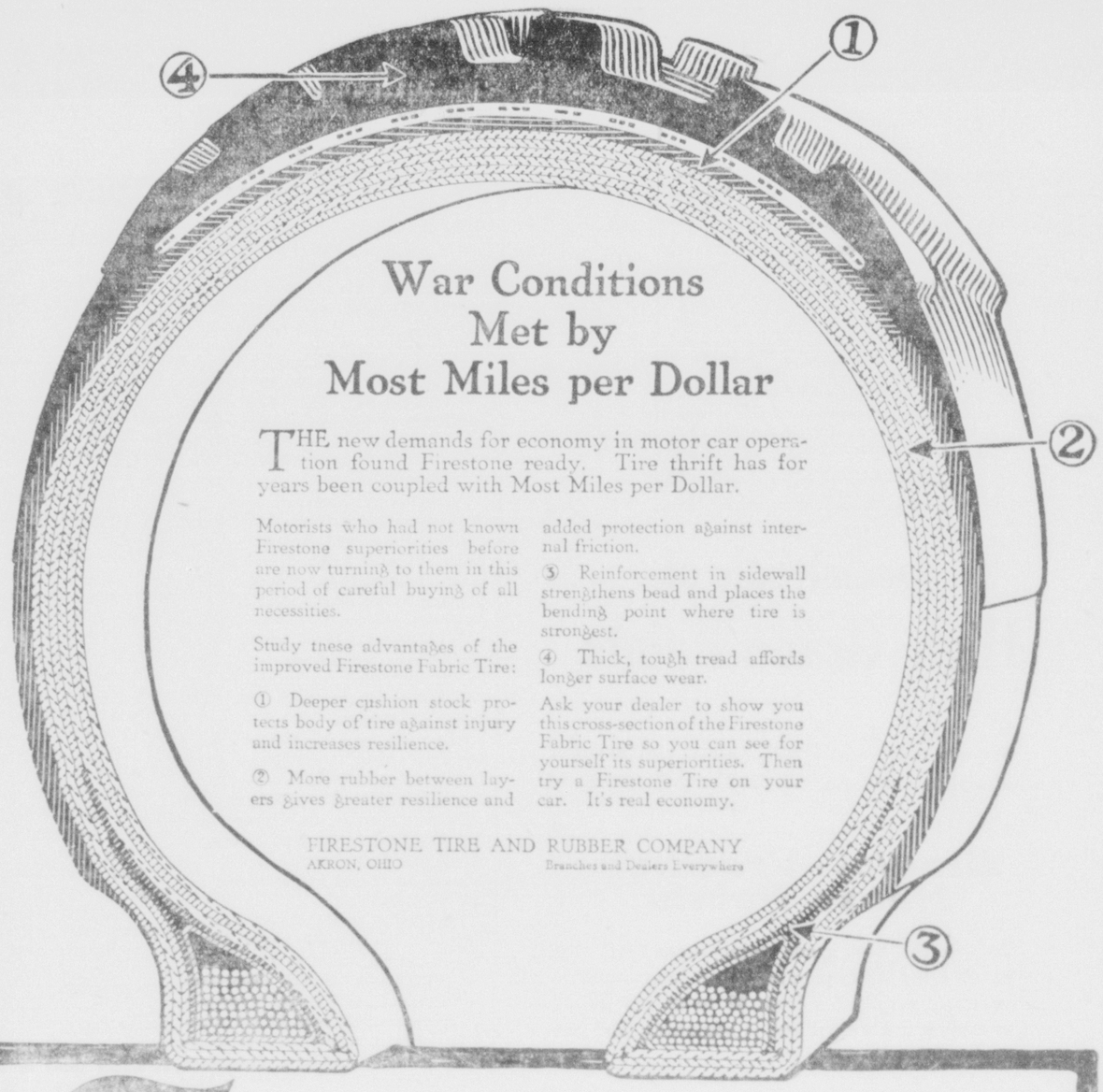
It is not the pigs farrowed that count, but it is the pigs saved that help to fill the nation's pork barrels for the use of the khaki-clad boys who are making the supreme sacrifice in order that the world may be a safe place to live in. Feed the sows a good balanced ration that they may have the proper nutrient and make it possible from which to produce strong and healthy litters. The feeding before farrowing time has much to do with your "luck" at saving the pigs.

HOGS BRING GOOD PRICE.

Charleston, Miss., April 11.—Forty-four head of pure bred Duroc-Jersey hogs were recently sold here for $18,415, an average of $419 per head.

Save your calves by using Parke Davis Blacklegoids. The Koch Pharmacy.—Adv.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.



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If you lend your money to the government you may be quite sure that it is going to be used for some natural purpose—to prosecute the war successfully, to care for, equip, arm and supply our soldiers in France to be used by our navy in ridding the seas of the murderous U-boats.

But if you spend your money even with the belief that by putting it into the channels of trade others into whose hands it comes will lend it to the government, you will have done something the patriotism of which may be very questionable.

First, you have withdrawn from the supply of material of the nation something to replace which in the market will require labor and material which should be devoted to war purposes.

Second, the person to whom you pay your money may also use it to purchase things requiring material and labor which should be devoted to war purposes. And the person to whom he pays it may repeat the operation.

But when you lend your money to the government instead of spending it, you will at once lessen the drain to a certain extent on your country's resources, its material, its labor, and its transportation facilities, and in addition you supply your government with money to be used in winning the war.

Every purchase of a Liberty Loan Bond is an individual act toward bringing victory to America and her Allies.

SLAYS NEGRO OBJECTOR TO WAR TAX — ACQUITTED

Montgomery, Ala., April 11.—A negro objected to the penny war tax on five cent packages of tobacco and started a fight. Robert Owen, the cigar store proprietor, killed him. The jury said "not guilty."

Graham M. E. Church Notes.

Services Sunday, April 14, as follows:

Graham.—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 8 p. m.

Mt. Zion.—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m.

Rockford.—S. S. at 10 a. m.

Swan Chapel.—Preaching at 3 p. m.

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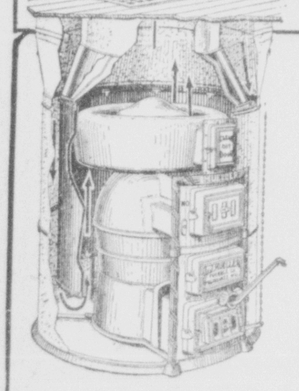

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We here at home hate these things, too. We are pledged to their destruction—to our last dollar and our last man. But this soldier can actually—get-his-hands-on-them—and root them out of the world forever—*if we will lend him a hand.*

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But He Can't Do It With His Bare Hands! He asks you to back him up with guns, shells, tanks, airplanes. Let's lend him a hand by lending our dollars. Then no power in the world can prevent him from winning the Victory.

The long fighting ages of the world have never seen a better soldier than this boy of yours—your son—your husband—your brother—your friend. He stands for the sons of America, hundreds of thousands strong, soon to be millions. He is doing his part—we must do ours!

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Good list of prime real estate mortgage loans for disposal, in amounts to suit investors. See us for terms. Over Nodaway Valley Bank. The Sisson Loan & Title Co. 21tf

FOR SALE—Barred Rock eggs from extra good stock; no cheap stuff. M. C. Thompson. Far. phone 41-15. 21tf

FOR SALE—R. C. White Leghorn eggs, $5.00 hundred. Jesse Dowden, Route 3. Farmers phone 1-15. 1-13*

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Oakland, 7 passenger, 6 cylinder car, excellent condition, equipped with Goodyear cord tires. Real bargain if taken soon. G. O. Riley, Skidmore, Mo. 1-tf

FOR SALE — Mare 4 years old. Frank Martin, 216 East 3rd. Hanamo 3041. 2tf

FOR SALE—Pure bred Barred Rock eggs for setting, $4.50 per hundred. Call Mrs. R. L. White, Farmers phone 17-18. 3-13*

FOR SALE—Some dandy fall boars ready for April and May service. They are pure-bred Poland-Chinas. W. B. Gex, Graham, Mo. 4-17

S. C. R. I. Red eggs for hatching. On account of moving will have no pens, but sell eggs from general flock. Eggs at $5.00 per 100. Mrs. Alfred Jones, Route 7. Farmers phone 28-17. 9-15

FOR SALE—Ford touring car. Come before the rush. Clark's Machine Shop. 9-11*

GOOD Piece of City Poperty for sale. Would consider part payment in Liberty Bonds. Phone Farmers 111-11. 9-11

FOR SALE—Good jack, will exchange for late model car or city property. Write box 146, Maryville. 9-11

FOR SALE—Ford touring car in good condition. Farmers Garage. 10-12

FOR SALE—Car of Checkerboard chick feed and chowder; also car of oil meal. Maryville Feed and Milling Co. Hanamo phone 110, Farmers 230. 10-12

S. C. Black Minorca offered for sale Saturday for benefit of Red Cross by Bickett. 10-12*

FOR SALE—About 30 S. C. Buff Orpington hens, eggs for hatching. Also some Early Ohio seed potatoes. E. M. Houchens, 703 E. 7th. Hanamo 4724. Farmers 49-15. 11-13*

MISCELLANEOUS

NOTICE—"23" jitney station will run a general delivery in connection with their jitney business. We will haul anything. Call us. E. C. Moberly. 23-tf

ST. LOUIS STAR—Prints most news Best baseball reports, Woman's Fashion page, Comic page and market reports. 3 months for $1.00 by mail. Fast mail edition of Star arrives 6 a. m. and is delivered on rural routes before noon. Local rates by carrier 15c per week. Johnny Hansen, Agt. 9-11

STRAYED—A red male hog, weighing about 200. Please notify Saunders Brothers. 9-11

I will trade my equity in new residence property for car. Inquire at Protzman's barber shop. 11tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—6 room house, 1102 East Jenkins. Inquire Louis Gram, Hanamo 5542. 4tf

FOR RENT—Modern 6 room house, close in, good neighborhood, large garden. Vacant April 15. R. L. McDougal. 4-tf

FOR RENT—House on North Mulberry, 1½ blocks south of the water tower, modern except furnace. See S. M. Redfield. 11-13*

WANTED

WANTED—To haul your grain and hogs. Farmers, don't stop your busy teams; let the Ford truck do your hauling. Long drives a specialty. Call Han. 4445, Maryville. 9-11*

WANTED—Two boys over 16 years old. Maryville Laundry. Phone 700. 11-13

WANTED—Two girls at Maryville Laundry. Call Hanamo 700. 11-13

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LOST

LOST—Check folder with 15 thrift stamps and 4 war savings stamps. Return to Democrat-Forum office. 10-12

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Grain Market Future.

Kansas City, April 11.—CORN—May $1.27.

Kansas City Live Stock

Kansas City, April 11.—CATTLE—Receipts 4,000; steers $10 @ $16; cows $8 @ $14.25.

HOGS—Receipts 8,000; top $17.75; bulk $17.40 @ $17.70.

Chicago Live Stock

Chicago, April 11.CATTLE — Receipts 14,000; market steady.

HOGS—Receipts 30,000; market 10 higher; top $17.95.

St Joseph Live Stock

St. Joseph, April 11.—CATTLE—Receipts 2,500; market 25 higher.

HOGS—Receipts 5,000; market 20 to 30 higher; top $17.00.

PRODUCE MARKET.

Springs	20c
Ducks	17c
Eggs, per dozen	28c
Cream, per lb	39c
Geese	17
Old Roosters	12
Hides, per lb.	8

Attend Missionary Meeting.

Mrs. Eugene Ogden, Mrs. W. A. Burris and Mrs. L. E. White went to St. Joseph today to attend the annual central district convention of the Women's American Baptist Missionary Society, which is in session at the First Baptist church there.

Jesse Miller of Stanberry and Walter David of Kansas City both arrived in Maryville last night and visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Gile. Mr. David accompanied Mr. Miller to his home in Stanberry this morning.

Mrs. E. A. Springer and two sons of Quitman were in Maryville on business yesterday.

Miss B. Elliot of Savannah is visiting a few days with Miss Lena Brown of Maryville.

OLD PAPERS for sale at this office.

Crocheted American Flag.

Frank Bloomfield of Parnell received a letter from his sister, Mrs. Nora Burch, of Lorena, Okla., saying that she crocheted a flag in the national colors 5 x 8½ feet, which sold for $140. The money was turned into the Red Cross fund.

Celebrates 83rd Birthday.

A dinner party was given yesterday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Walters of Parnell in honor of Mr. Walters, who was celebrating his eighty-third birthday anniversary. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Will Walters and family, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Prather and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Logan and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Logan and William Walters. Mr. and Mrs. Walters recently celebrated their sixty-second wedding anniversary.

6 O'clock Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Hotchkin entertained at 6 o'clock dinner last night the following guests: Mrs. Griswold of St. Joseph Mrs. H. C. Folk of St. Joseph, Mrs. Florence Staples and Mrs. A. M. Reynolds of St. Joseph.

ROOT AND HERB MEDICINES

Indian medicine men contend that the roots and herbs of the field furnish a panacea for every ill to which human flesh is heir. Be that as it may, it is interesting to note that the most successful remedy in the world for female ills, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, was compounded more than forty years ago by Mrs. Lydia E. Pinkham of Lynn, Mass., from the roots and herbs of the field, and today it is recognized from shore to shore as the standard remedy for female ills.

Meeting at Garrett School.

There will be a patriotic meeting tomorrow night in the interest of the Liberty Loan campaign at Garrett school southwest of Maryville. Geo. Kobb Ellison will be among the speakers on the program.

Back From Hospital.

Mrs. F. J. Quinn has returned from the hospital in St. Joseph to remain in the home of her son, Dr. Kirk, during convalescence.—Hopkins Journal.

W. E. Morton of Ravenwood, who underwent an operation Monday at the St. Francis hospital, is slightly improved today.

John and Fred Barber of Skidmore were in Maryville yesterday on business.

SAFE, GENTLE REMEDY CLEANSES YOUR KIDNEYS

For centuries GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil has been a standard household remedy for kidney, liver, bladder and stomach trouble, and all diseases connected with the urinary organs. The kidneys and bladder are the most important organs of the body. They are the filters, the purifiers of your blood. If the poisons which enter your system through the blood and stomach are not entirely thrown out by the kidneys and bladder, you are doomed.

Weariness, sleeplessness, nervousness, despondency, backache, stomach trouble, headache, pain in loins and lower abdomen, gallstones, gravel, difficulty when urinating, cloudy and bloody urine, rheumatism, sciatica and lumbago, all warn you to look after your kidneys and bladder. GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules are what you need.

They are not a "patent medicine," nor a "new discovery." For 200 years they have been a standard household remedy. They are the pure, original imported Haarlem Oil your great-grandmother used, and are perfectly harmless. The healing, soothing oil soaks into the cells and lining of the kidneys and through the bladder, driving out the poisonous germs. New life, fresh strength and health will come as you continue the treatment. When completely restored to your usual vigor, continue taking a capsule or two each day; they will keep you in condition and prevent a return of the disease.

Do not delay a minute. Delays are especially dangerous in kidney and bladder trouble. All druggists sell GOLD MEDAL Haarem Oil Capsues. They will refund the money if not as represented. In three sizes, sealed packages. Ask for the original imported GOLD MEDAL. Accept no substitutes.

"HAVE I DONE MY DUTY?"

The battle had been raging fiercely for hours when at last there came a lull in the firing. The fighting Canadians had given the enemy the worst of it from the start, but, victorious as they were, they welcomed a few moments of quiet. Still, there was no rest for them. Out there on the open level field, within full sweep of those Teuton guns, were several of their comrades wounded, perhaps dying.

"Who will drive an ambulance out there and bring them out?" the colonel called out.

Not one chance in ten thousand of doing the job and getting back alive and whole, they all knew—but they were true soldiers.

"Ready!"

It was a Canadian youth, scarcely seventeen years old and who had seen but a few months of service, who was first of two score of soldiers to spring across the line and salute the colonel.

Like a veteran driver the young took the wheel and sent the motor ambulance out on that open field, bullets singing past his ears, shells falling about him.

Twice he went out and twice he came back carrying wounded comrades to safety behind the lines. A third time he went out with the ambulance to the place where the last of his wounded comrades lay. Then—one of those awful shells exploded.

Tenderly they bore his maimed body on a stretcher back of the lines. The surgeons shook their heads. The colonel understood.

"My dear boy, you have only a few minutes more of life; have you a message to leave?" the officer said, as he bent over the youth.

"Have I done my duty?"

That was all this young hero wanted to know.

The look of soldierly pride on the colonel's face was assurance enough, and with a smile the young life went out.

It was Lieut. J. D. Sharman of Quebec, a wounded Canadian officer, home to recuperate, who related the incident to a Kansas City audience a few days ago. The Lieutenant was an eye witness—the Canadian youth was a comrade of his.

"Have I done my duty?" That is just what our own soldier boys are asking "over there" at this very time.

Have you done your duty? Are you doing your full duty? You subscribed to the first Liberty Loan. You subscribed to the second Liberty Loan. So far you have done nobly and patriotically. But are you going to let it go at that? Are you going to subscribe to the third Liberty Loan and see the boys through—through to victory?

SELL WRONG SUBSTITUTE

Some Merchants In State Are Not Following List Authorized By the Food Administration

Columbia, April 11. — Despite the publication numerous times of the proper substitutes to be sold with wheat flour, many merchants in the state are still selling substitutes not on the authorized list. The critical wheat situation makes it necessary for dealers to sell as wheat flour substitutes only those products specifically mentioned. "Products of a similar nature" are not to be included the Missouri division of the food administration has announced.

No breakfast foods except oatmeal and rolled oats can be sold as substitutes. No canned goods whatever, crackers, macaroni and spaghetti, beans, Irish or sweet potatoes, vegetables, shelled corn are included in the authorized list.

Hominy does not include canned hominy; barley flour does not include barley; rice flour does not include rice polish; corn grits does not include corn flakes; rolled oats does not include fruited oats. Rye flour should not be sold as a substitute. The only permissible oat products are oatmeal and rolled oats.

Graham Christian Church.

Elder Harlan will preach at Graham next Lord's Day at 11 a. m. and at 8 p. m. A service flag program will be given at Maitland.

The benevolent offering at Palestine on Easter amounted to $40. This money will be used to house aged people and orphans. The sisters gave for this purpose the eggs gathered on March 30.

The "Biggest" Red Cross Sale.

Taking population into consideration, Lucas, S. Dak., holds the "silver cup" for success achieved at a Red Cross auction sale which took place a week ago. One goose egg auctioned off brought $205; a silk quilt was sold and resold until it brought $345—the last bidder giving $50 for it. Unheard of prices were paid for hay; one bale being sold for $100, and a ton for $400. The total raised for the Red Cross by this town of only 30 inhabitants was $2,800.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Davenport, Miss May Doran and John Yates drove to St. Joseph yesterday to spend the day.

STATEMENT OF THE OWNERSHIP, MANAGEMENT, CIRCULATION, ETC. required by the act of congress of August 24, 1912, of Democrat-Forum published daily at Maryville, Missouri, for April 1, 1918:

State of Missouri, county of Nodaway, ss.

Before me, a notary public in and for the state and county aforesaid, personally appeared Walter S. Todd, who having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the business manager of The Democrat-Forum, and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the act of August, 24, 1912, embodied in section 443, postal laws and regulations, to-wit:

That the names and addresses of the publisher, editor, managing editor, and business managers are: Publisher, Maryville Publishing Co., Maryville, Mo.; Editor, W. C. Van Cleve, Maryville, Mo.; managing editor, James Todd, Maryville, Mo.; business managers W. C. Van Cleve and Walter S. Todd, Maryville, Mo.

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That the known bondholders, mortgagees and other security holders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages or other securities are: None.

That the two paragraphs next above, giving the names of the owners, stockholders, and security holders, if any, contain not only the list of stockholders and security holders as they appear upon the books of the company but also, in cases where the stockholder or security holder appears upon the books of the company as trustee or in any other fiduciary relation, the name of the person or corporation for whom such trustee is acting, is given; also that the said two paragraphs contain statements embracing affiant's full knowledge and belief as to the circumstances and conditions under which stockholders and security holders who do not appear upon the books of the company as trustees, hold stock and securities in a capacity other than that of a bona fide owner; and this affiant has no reason to believe that any other person, association, or corporation has any interest direct or indirect in the said stock, bonds, or other securities than as so stated by him.

That the average number of copies of each issue of this publication sold or distributed, through the mails or otherwise, to paid subscribers during the six months preceding the date shown above is

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WALTER S. TODD.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 9th day of April, 1918.

(Seal) E. E. WILLIAMS, Notary Public.

(My commission expires March 1, 1919)

Soldier's Letters

HE LIKES ARMY LIFE

Ralph Folden Writes from Camp Stuart Where He Has Been Transferred

Camp Stuart, Va.,
March 27, 1918.

To the Democrat-Forum:

As I have pretty well caught up writing to my friends, will try and write a short message to the Democrat-Forum. I have not written to any of the newspapers yet, but several of my friends have.

Uncle Sam called me to service the 9th day of September. I was taken to Camp Funston to begin military training. I was there five months and eight days. Then I was moved to Camp Stuart, Va.

Our barracks is just about 100 yards from the Chesapeake Bay but Norfolk is ten miles east of here. Several large boats are seen on the bay. Airplanes are flying at all times.

Several of the Nodaway county boys are in the camp. Most of us are together.

Newport News is close to here. To tell the truth this camp is surrounded by towns.

On Sunday we don't stand reveille, so we can lay in bed later. I think the army life agrees with me. I only weighed 128 pounds when I came and now I weigh 144 pounds, so you see I am gaining in weight.

Well, if the Democrat-Forum will help to correct my mistakes maybe the people can read this short note. I will be glad to hear from anybody who wishes to write.

Sincerely,

PRIVATE RALPH FOLDEN,
Co. L, 4th Inf.,
Camp Stuart, Newport News, Va.

RESULTS TELL.

There Can Be No Doubt About the Results in Maryville.

Results tell the tale.
All doubt is removed.
The testimony of a Maryville citizen can be easily investigated.
What better proof can be had?

James C. Lornson, retired farmer, 1023 N. Mulberry street, Maryville, says: "Whenever I have a little stiffness in my back or pain across my hips, I use Doan's Kidney Pills. At one time when my kidneys were badly congested and I was all crippled up with a lame back, Doan's Kidney Pills removed all the pain and misery and fixed me right up. They also removed the dizziness and improved my health in every way. I never fail to praise Doan's Kidney Pills when I have a chance."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Lornson had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

Miss Madge West of Burlington Junction will be the week-end guest of Miss Martha Helpley.

CALL FOR TRAINED WORKERS

The Army Needs 12,000 Men From About Seventy-five Different Trades—Place Volunteers

Washington, April 11. — Provost Marshal General Crowder has telegraphed to state governors asking them to make it known throughout their respective states that the army needs about 12,000 men from about seventy-five different trades and occupations.

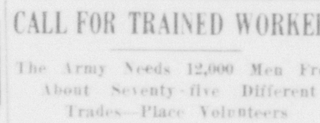
It was learned today that a call for these men soon to be issued will be in addition to that of last Saturday for the mobilization of 150,000 fighting men on April 26. The estimate of the number of men of special qualifications is only tentative and may be increased to 15,000 or more before the end of the month, as military needs dictate.

As is usual when special calls are made, the voluntary induction system will be used so far as possible. Any draft registrant falling within the desired category will be given the opportunity of volunteering to his local board for service, but if the required number is not obtained by this method local boards will induct enough men to fill their quotas.

Henry Piveral of Burlington Junction was in Maryville today.

Will Carter of Burlington Junction was a Maryville visitor today.

WATCH YOUR EYESIGHT



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G. B. HOLMES.

Mr. and Mrs. Ora Shelman, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shelman and daughter, Athea, and Fay Carmichael of Gaynor City were in Maryville today.

Remus Mercantile Company

Phones: Hanamo 6, Far. 1.
Corner Third and Buchanan

GroceryPrice List For

Friday and Saturday

Potatoes, per bushel	$1.00
2 fat shore mackerel	25c
2 lbs 3 Crown bulk raisins	25c
Fancy evaporated Muir peach, per lb	15c
Best quality pink salmon	20c
Best quality med. red salmon	25c
2 cans Frontier pumpkin	25c
2 cans Frontier sweet potatoes	35c
No. 3 size can Acropolis pork and beans	25c
Frontier yellow free peaches, in heavy syrup, per can	25c
Mission Bell brand, No. 1 size yellow free peaches, per can	15c
White borax Naptha soap, bar	5c
Pure country sorghum, 10 lb pail	$1.00
No. 2½ can Monsoon sliced pine apple	25c
Frontier corn, per can	13c
Frontier peas, per can	13c
Gal. bulk kraut	30c
Sweet pickles, per dozen	10c
Sour pickles, per dozen	10c
Fancy country cured bacon, per lb	28c
Qt. bottle pure cider vinegar	18c
Qt. bottle Richelieu ginger ale	18c
Kokoheart (nut butter) per lb	33c
Solid comfort steel cut coffee	23c